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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES: GENETIC COUNSELOR ADVISORY COUNCIL OF THE

**DELAWARE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE** 

**AND DISCIPLINE** 

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Friday, June 14, 2013 at 3:30 p.m.

PLACE: 861 Silver Lake Boulevard

Conference Room B, Second Floor, Cannon Building

Dover, Delaware

MINUTES APPROVED (August 30, 2013)

## **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Zohra J. Ali-Khan Catts, Council Member, Chair, Presiding Sara Ennis Mora, Council Member, Vice Chair Garrett H. Colmorgen, M.D., Physician Member Beth A. Keena, Council Member Marcie A. Parker, Council Member

# **DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT**

Eileen Kelly, Deputy Attorney General Gayle MacAfee, Executive Director

## **MEMBER ABSENT**

Karen W. Gripp, M.D., Ex-Officio Council Member

## **CALL TO ORDER**

Ms. Ali-Khan Catts called the meeting to order at 3:36 p.m.

## **REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Dr. Colmorgen moved, seconded by Ms. Parker, to approve the March 1, 2013 minutes as written. Motion unanimously carried.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

There was no old business.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

## Determine Percentage of Licensees for Post-Renewal Audit

Ms. Keena moved, seconded by Dr. Colmorgen, to randomly select 50% of the licensees for the post-renewal audit. Motion unanimously carried.

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# Update on Examinations Offered by the American Board of Genetic Counseling

It was noted that a second test administration will occur in the months of February and August for Certified Genetic Counselor (CGC) candidates. The addition of a second examination will be beneficial to the genetic counseling profession in several ways. It will decrease the amount of time new graduates must wait between the time they are eligible to sit for the CGC examination and when the examination is administered. The additional administration will also alleviate timing conflicts with licensing and employment issues that impact genetic counselors in states requiring a license to practice. This change will not impact Delaware's current procedures.

Also mentioned, candidates now receive their score reports before they leave the Assessment Center. This process gives candidates instant results regarding their pass/fail status.

#### OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE COUNCIL

There was no other business.

# **PUBLIC COMMENT**

There was no public comment.

# SCHEDULE NEXT MEETING DATE

The next scheduled meeting date is August 23, 2013 at 3:30 p.m. in the Second Floor Conference Room, Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Dr. Colmorgen moved, seconded by Ms. Keena, to adjourn. Motion unanimously carried. The meeting adjourned at 3:58 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Gayle Lynn MacAfee, MS

**Executive Director**